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IMAGERY ANALYSIS SERVICE

PRODUCTION BOARD MEETING

Thursday, 13 June 1974 - 1000

MEMBERS PRESENT

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[redacted] reported on the National Imagery Interpretability Rating Scale (NIIRS). The NIIRS was established to provide a common ground for rating the interpretability of KH imagery. The scale ranges from 0 to 9 and is determined for the community by NPIC. The NPIC key-man for NIIRS is [redacted] of NPIC is working on a NIIRS manual. In IAS, [redacted] have received training on the NIIRS criteria. The rating system was applied routinely for the first time [redacted]

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ANNOUNCEMENTS

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[redacted] announced the following:

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a. Approval has been obtained for IAS to begin receiving a second copy of [redacted] missions. The next mission will cover the [redacted]

b. We have received the DDI Management Staff's approval for the proposed linkup with OJCS computers.

c. LOI's are to be completed in the next two weeks.

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d. The divisions are to inform [redacted] of items that they believe would be appropriate for the [redacted] briefings. In this way [redacted] can make specific suggestions when [redacted] calls for briefing items.

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[redacted] commented on the following:

a. Money that is to be used up by end of the fiscal year.

b. Phone changes will be completed around 10 July.

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c. Everyone should be acquainted with the procedures for evacuating the building in case of a fire.

COMMITTEE REPORTS

25X1A [] Mensuration Committee, reported on a survey taken
 25X1A of the PI's to determine how much they knew about running the [] and 25X1A
 25X1A [] comparators. It was decided that PI's just back from Offutt and
 25X1A older PI's could profit by a course on the use of these comparators. The
 25X1A committee has designed a 2 1/2-day course which will be given once a
 25X1A month. The first running of the course was completed this week.

25X1A [] EDP Applications Group, reported that there was an
 25X1A increase of over 1,000 jobs on the computer during the month of May.
 25X1A The committee has written their objectives and established a guest speaker
 25X1A program. Mr. Allen stated that in the future the Production Board should
 25X1A review the committee's objectives before they are published.

25X1A [] Equipment Team, reported that the new light table order
 25X1A is being modified to incorporate IAS specifications and that we will
 25X1A receive a prototype by July.

25X1A [] reported that at the next EXRAND meeting [] will 25X1A
 25X1A brief on []

25X1A [] Unidentified Targets Group, summarized the ways NPIC
 25X1A and IAS have handled unidentified's over the years. It was agreed to
 25X1A abandon the semi-annual unidentified's report and in its place arrange
 25X1A for someone to sit in on the recently established inter-Agency unidenti-
 25X1A fied's group as an observer.

OLD BUSINESS

25X1A [] reported that [] was going to [] to survey 25X1A
 25X1A needs for setting up the new PI shop. [] also reported that 25X1A
 25X1A [] was assured that their requirements will be met. 25X1A

25X1A [] indicated that there is a possibility of ordering new PI
 25X1A furniture out of next year's funds. This will cost [] for all of 25X1A
 25X1A IAS.

25X1A [] was instructed to investigate the feasibility of IAS'
 25X1A obtaining an Itek copier or one similar to it. He reported that PSS and
 25X1A the Technical Advisor will contact the Visual Graphics Corporation which
 25X1A produces a copier that is supposed to be better than the Itek, as well as
 25X1A lower in cost. [] was also instructed to investigate the possi-
 25X1A bility of obtaining one of NPIC's Itek copiers.

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NEW BUSINESS



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[redacted] commented on overdue projects. The number of overdue projects has risen from 43 percent to 60 percent in the last two weeks. Mr. Allen is anxious to find out if there is a serious problem in this area and to rectify it so that we can ensure our requirements are being met in a timely manner.

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[redacted] commented that the Mission Status Report is not adequate. It was agreed to include in future reports projected recovery dates on satellite missions as well as negative information.

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